



Government of the District of Columbia

Office of Planning/Historic Preservation Office

Background Information on the grant: The District of Columbia Historic Preservation Office (HPO) is soliciting grant applications for its FY 2011 open-project historic preservation community grants competitive selection process.

Amount of grant funds available and number of awards: In FY 2011, total funds estimated available for grants and contracts is \$52,000, 10 percent of the estimated federal ground award to the District of Columbia from the National Park Service. Three- to five-applications are awarded grants each year, awards ranging from as low as \$1,500 to as high as \$25,000.

Eligible organizations and entities: Nonprofit (501 (c)3 organizations , groups working in partnership with qualified nonprofits, institutions of higher learning, other agencies of the Government of the District of Columbia, and qualified individual contractors.

Program scope: Eligible activities include community surveys, National Register nominations, structural assessments of registered properties, and outreach activities including publications and educational events. Priority will be given to submissions that relate to the District of Columbia Historic Preservation Office Annual Work Plan for FY2011 and the Historic Preservation Plan for the District of Columbia 2008-2012. Both are available at the office or on the Office of Planning website (<http://planning.dc.gov/planning/cwp/view,a,1284,q,640874.asp>).

Release Date of Request for Applications (RFA): Wednesday, September 1, 2010

Availability of RFA: DC Register, Office of Planning website (<http://planning.dc.gov/planning/cwp/view,a,1284,q,640874.asp>), Office of Planning office, and Office of Partnership and Grants Services website(<http://opgs.dc.gov/opgd/cwp/view,a,1316,q,609787.asp>).

Deadline for Submission: Friday, October 1, 2010

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